



**Safety Committee
April 12, 2010
5:00 PM
Minutes**

Call to Order: Mr. Donahue called the meeting to order.

Roll Call: Present for the meeting today was Mrs. Mershon, Mr. Donahue and Mrs. Turner. Also in attendance were Mayor Ebert, Carrie Hoover (Community Affairs), Matt Peoples (Public Works Director).

Approval of Minutes

Mrs. Mershon moved to approve the minutes of the March 8th, 2010 meeting; seconded by Mrs. Turner.

VOTES **AYES** Mrs. Mershon, Mrs. Turner, Mr. Donahue
 NAYS
 Motion carried

Pended Items:

Signs are on order for Cherry Landing that will say “No Parking on this side of the street”

New Items for Discussion:

10-03 Pfeifer Park concept plan

Mr. Peoples stated that there is no formal plan for the area. It is about an acre of land with two twelve-foot easements coming off of Carriage Place and Jones Place West. Mrs. Turner suggested a letter be sent to the neighboring houses about what they would like there. She doesn’t believe that they want a play set; she thinks they want to keep it open green space. Mrs. Mershon added that the letter should include some suggestions for what could be put there and it should be sent to all of the houses in Phase 3 of the development. Discussion ensued.

10-04 East Columbus Street – Curve

Mr. Peoples stated that Mr. Note brought this to his attention. The road is 55mph and goes to 25mph. The 25mph sign was moved to the correct location and a “Reduced Speed Ahead” sign was added with reflectors on it. A yellow sign with “25 mph” on it was also placed, as well as the reflective yellow Chevrons to accentuate the curve.

Fairfield County will be asked if the speed limit of the road outside the Corporation limits could be lowered from 55 mph to 40mph coming up toward the curve by Old Town Tavern.

10-05 Park Rules Update – Revision of Ordinance 32-06

Mr. Peoples stated that the Ordinance does not give the Sheriff any way to enforce the rules. There is no penalty clause at this time. Mr. Peoples and Sgt. Kern are still working on the wording, so it will be a pended item for the next meeting. Mrs. Turner added that she would like to see the wording changed to prohibit the playing of loud and offensive music.

Fairfield County Sheriff's Report:

No report tonight.

Community Affairs Report:

Nothing new to report.

Old/New Business:

Mr. Larry Flowers, Madison Township Administrator, was in attendance and offered to have someone from the Township present at the Safety Committee meetings to give brief reports either monthly or upon request. Discussion ensued.

Mr. Peoples asked how the new emergency room was working out with the Fire Department. Mr. Flowers said it was going well, that it is very busy and may be expanding soon.

Mrs. Turner stated that Mr. Pfeifer's clean up is going well and continuing.

Mrs. Turner asked about signage referring to kids in the area on Mound Street. Mr. Peoples stated a speed study will be done this spring and action will be taken if it is warranted. Community Watch was out there and didn't find any speeding.

Adjournment

Mrs. Mershon moved to adjourn the meeting; seconded by Mrs. Turner.

VOTES	AYES	Mrs. Mershon, Mrs. Turner, Mr. Donahue
	NAYS	
		Motion carried

Meeting adjourned at 5:30pm.